

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Much Business At The Hotel De Ville Wednesday Evening

PURCHASE OF THE NEW \$2000 COMBINATION CHEMICAL AUTHORIZED

Spirited Wordy Tilts Occur Between Mayor Marvin And Councilman Boynton

A COUPLE OF JUNK LICENSES ARE HELD UP FOR FURTHER ORDERS --- COUNCIL ADJOURNS FOR ONE MONTH

A long drawn out, and at times equally, meeting of the city council was held on Wednesday evening. The most important business transacted was the authorization of the purchase of the new combination chemical.

A sensational tinge was lent to the session by the charge of Councilman Trueman that members of the city council had been "approached" by former members of the city government, and an attempt made to induce them to vote against the new combination chemical on the ground that there was to be graft for the purchasers.

The meeting was called to order by the mayor with the full board present fifteen minutes after the scheduled hour. The records of the previous meeting were read by City Clerk Moran and approved.

Request For Ten Years' Lease
A communication was read from the Franklin Pierce Veteran Firemen's Association, asking for a ten years' lease of the lower floors of the ward room, so-called, of Ward One.

A motion was made that it be laid on the table.
Councilman Trueman was in favor of granting the request. Councilman Boynton thought the lease should be granted, if at all, for only one year. "These ten-year leases are sometimes inconvenient," declared the councilman. "Like a ten-year contract we have on our hands now," he added.

The petition was finally referred to the committee on city lands and buildings to report.

Sewer Extension Asked

Florence S. Loughton asked for a sixty-foot extension of the Court street sewer. The petition was referred to the committee on sewers to report.

A petition from D. H. McIntosh for a relay of sidewalk on Fleet street was referred to the committee on streets with power.

The Matter Of More Junk Licenses

A request from one Joe London for a license to deal in junk at 2 Hancock street was read.

"I think," said Councilman Colbeth, "that we have granted enough of these licenses. I move that this request be laid on the table."

Mayor Marvin remarked that, although examinations were usually made in the cases of applicants for new licenses to see whether or not they were citizens, etc., none had been made in this case.

"There are a number we have granted now who are not tax payers," declared Councilman Colbeth.

Councilman Cullen did not believe in limiting the number.

"Most of these dealers do not comply with the law," remarked Councilman Boynton. "I imagine that some of those who go around the city doing business have no license at all. I think enough have already been granted, and that the license fee ought to be raised to three hundred dollars."

Councilman Molloy also thought that too many had been granted, but did not believe in placing a limit at this time. He believed that all should now have a chance.

At this point the mayor stated that there was also another from Abram Wolk, 9 Hancock street.

"Serve both alike," suggested Councilman Colbeth.

The license petitions were then referred to the committee on finance to report.

Minor Petitions

Fred L. Ham was granted permission to move a barn from Woodbury avenue to The Plains.

Cora E. Young was granted permission to enter a drain into the sewer on Myrtle avenue.

Mr. Kelly Declines

The declination of W. J. Kelly of the office of sinking fund commissioner was accepted.

Damage Done By Asphalters

A petition to have certain awning posts, which were torn down by the asphalters on State street, replaced by the city, was referred to the committee on streets with power.

Matter Of Back Taxes

W. W. Cotton made the city an offer of settlement for certain back taxes on property at 39 Islington street, alleged to have been over assessed. The difference amounted to about ten dollars.

Councilman Wendell's motion that the offer be accepted was lost.

Granolithic Sidewalk Claim

The claim of Calvin Page for one-half the cost of a granolithic sidewalk on Middle street was referred to the committee on claims, the mayor having stated that there were charges for driveways, etc., which the city had paid.

"There are many things referred to committees which should be settled in this body," protested Councilman Molloy. "I am ready to oppose on the floor any such bill as this, not previously authorized by the city."

"The city ought not to lay granolithic sidewalks," said Councilman Boynton. "It is all right to pay half the cost of a brick sidewalk, but anything more expensive should not be paid for by the city."

Pole Locations

An order was passed making legal the act of the mayor in authorizing certain locations of telephone poles as directed by the council.

The Combination Chemical Ordered

The matter of purchasing a combination chemical was ordered.

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KITTERY LETTER

Newsy Items From Across The River

RECEPTION GIVEN TO REV. SYLVESTER HOOPER

Man On Long Pedestrian Trip Passes Through Town

GOSSIP OF A DAY COLLECTED BY OUR CORRESPONDENT

Kittery, April 26.

The reception which was given at the Second Methodist Church on Wednesday evening to Rev. Sylvester Hooper was largely attended, about 100 persons being present. Rev. and Mrs. Hooper were assisted in receiving by Mrs. George Damon and Mrs. Charles Langton of the official board, Mrs. U. G. Swett, president of the Epworth League, and U. G. Swett, superintendent of the Sunday school. The ushers were Fred H. Wilson, Justin H. Shaw, Edgar Hatch and Justin Parsons.

Mrs. Hooper was presented with a beautiful bouquet of carnations, pinks and ferns from the society.

The vestry was elaborately trimmed with red and white bunting and crepe paper, while potted plants, large art rugs, portieres and draperies combined to give a very rich and pleasing effect.

Sandwiches, cake and cocoa were served and a most enjoyable evening was passed.

Music was in order from eight to half-past nine o'clock, comprising instrumental solos and renderings on the violin, guitar and autoharp. Those participating in this feature were Mrs. J. W. Hobbs, piano; Mrs. Charles Rudolph, violin; Miss Amy Windrich and Miss Carrie Stevens, piano.

A very pleasing effect was produced by a trio consisting of Miss Damon, Miss Lovell and J. P. Hullman.

The Sterling Dramatic Club, which presented "Mrs. Briggs of the Poultry Yard" with such success on April 17, will repeat the performance at Greenland on Friday evening.

Kittery people who wish to see it again should take the car leaving The Parade in Portsmouth at half-past six.

There will be a dance after the drama.

A man passed through here on Wednesday who had walked from New York and who intended to continue on foot to Eastport, Me.

He was one of the crew of a fisherman which foundered on the Grand Banks last winter and with the ship's company of sixteen men was picked up by a liner and landed at New York.

He had several ribs broken in the shipwreck and had just left the marine hospital in New York.

A regular meeting of Col. Mark F. Wentworth Camp, Sons of Veterans, will be held at Wentworth Hall on Friday evening.

Whipple Lodge of Good Templars held a regular meeting at Odd Fellows' Hall on Wednesday evening.

George Wilson left on Wednesday for Calais, Me., where he will attend lodge functions.

The remnant social at the Second Christian Church this evening will be one of the most enjoyable social affairs of the season. A good program has been arranged and ice cream and cake will be served.

Mrs. Albert J. Nute of Port Huron, Mich., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Amos Rundlett, while her husband, who has a position in the revenue marine service, is being transferred from the lake port to New York.

Kittery Point

At a regular meeting of the Kittery Point Social Club, which was

held in Golden Cross Hall on Tuesday evening, it was voted to postpone the meetings until Oct. 6, and the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Mrs. Charles Tobey;
First Vice President, Howard Johnson;
Second Vice President, Mrs. Fred Hobbs;
Treasurer, Charles L. Favour;
Secretary, Mrs. George S. Gunnison;
Custodian, Merlon Johnson.

The men from this place who were hired to pump on the schooner Marion Draper returned Wednesday night on the tug Portsmouth. They report having had no difficulty in keeping the water down during the passage.

The flames of a big fire on Cape Ann were plainly seen by many between three and four o'clock Wednesday morning.

Miss Ethel Frisbee, who was forced to resign the teachership of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades on account of ill health, will be greatly missed by her pupils, with whom she was very popular.

Mrs. J. M. Martin of Portsmouth was the guest of Mrs. H. M. Seaward on Wednesday.

M. A. Perkins, owner of the schooner Marion Draper, as well as the crew of the schooner, made many

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ANOTHER SHOCK FELT

Second Earthquake Startles San Francisco

ONE PERSON KILLED AND SOME DAMAGE DONE

San Francisco, April 26.—At 3.15 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon a shock of earthquake was felt. It lasted nearly a minute and caused considerable alarm. One person was killed. A number of walls of burned buildings which were standing were thrown down, and frail buildings were considerably shaken up, but the damage done was slight.

The shock was also felt in Oakland and Berkeley, but in these places it was very slight and of brief duration.

The earthquake caused the death of Mrs. Annie Whitaker, aged twenty-five years. Mrs. Whitaker was at work in the kitchen of her home on Shotwell street in the Mission district when the shock came. The chimney which had been left in a tottering condition by the heavy quake last Wednesday, crashed through the roof and fractured her

skull. Her body was taken to the morgue at Portsmouth square and buried an hour later at Laurel Hill cemetery.

DARTMOUTH WINS

In Great Baseball Game With Old Rival, Brown

Dartmouth played great baseball against Brown at Providence, R. I., on Wednesday, winning by a score of one to nothing. Skillin appeared in the box for the first time this season, pitched a marvelous game and received perfect support. He allowed neither hits nor runs and struck out thirteen men. But for a single base on balls, not a Brown man would have seen first.

Tift pitched finely for Brown, striking out nine men, allowing but three hits and giving but two free passes. Two hits and an error in the fifth gave Dartmouth her only run.

Brown made two misplays.

JENNESS TAKEN TO PRISON

Sheriff Collis took Archie Jenness to the state prison at Concord today (Thursday) to serve a term of not less than three nor more than four years.

A specific for pain—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, strongest, cheapest liniment ever devised. A household remedy in America for 25 years.

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Drapery Tapestry in 48 inch wide goods at 50c. These are also suitable for Furniture Covering and other Upholstery Work.

Drapery Silks, beautiful floral designs and colors, 59c.

Art Cretonnes, crepe woven, among them many odd patterns out of the usual way, these at 12 1-2c.

Art Denims, one lot of sample length, showing a wonderful range of the designer's skill, many extra quality in this lot, worth 25c and 33c, our price 19c. These for Cushion Covers or Pillow Tops are worthy.

Crepoline in many styles, light ground with bright figures, effective drapery goods, only 21c.

Arabian Draperies, full yard wide, patterns generally of a floral hint and some delicate colorings, 25c.

Puritan Art Draperies, plain colors, large variety, 12 1-2c.

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MERE MENTION OF OUR SUPERIOR STOCK OF

Curtain Serims at 8c, 10c, 12c, in Cream and White.

Fancy Serims in Delicate Stripes and Figures of Red, Green and Yellow, at 15c.

Sash Curtain Muslins, many styles, 12 1-2c.

Curtain Nets 15c, 20c, 25c.

Madras Stripes, 38 inches wide, 20c.

Door Panels 37c to \$2.75, in Tambour and Net.

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Two days only, Friday and
Saturday

April 26th and 28th.

A MONTH'S TREATMENT FREE

To all persons calling on him and taking a course of treatment during this visit. Dr. Barbrick will guarantee to give, during the course, one month's treatment, medicines included absolutely free of charge. Let there be no misunderstanding. This positively means that no matter what the cost of treatment may be, no fee will be charged or accepted for the Free Month.

Why The Free Month Is Given

Dr. Barbrick's reasons for giving the Free Month are as follows: He takes this method of advertising his Boston Institute, one of the finest and best equipped Private Sanitariums in New England. He wishes to place within the reach of all the wonderful benefits of the New Cure. The Free Month will enable many who could not otherwise start the course to now take the treatment and get cured. Thus hundreds of sick and suffering will receive the benefits of the New Cure where only tens were cured previously. Again Dr. Barbrick wishes to impress on the minds of the sick that delays are dangerous; that the Spring and Summer months are the months to treat and cure Chronic Ills, and that more can be done in one month now than in three months in the fall and winter. Therefore, to induce those who need it to begin a course of treatment now, at once, that they may receive the greatest benefits from it in the shortest possible time, as well as to help those who are unable to pay the full fees, the Free Month is given.

Remarkable Diagnosis Of Disease and Wonderful "X-Ray" Examinations Free To The Sick.

Dr. Barbrick will have with him his wonderful X-RAY and Electrical Examining Instruments and will give examinations with the perfect X-RAY when required, absolutely Free of Charge to all who will call on him during this visit.

By the use of his Phenoscopes he distinguishes the sounds of the body, his Radio-Chemie substances to test the secretion, his electrically lighted instruments, his X-Ray and the perfected Migno-Chemie Strips to test the organs of the body, together with his other wonderful instruments, he may be possibly able to positively determine the precise nature of disease in any portion of the human body. This absolutely perfect method of examination is at your service without a penny to pay if you call on him at the Kearsarge House Friday and Saturday, April 27 and 28.

Don't Wait

THE SICK MULTITUDES CROWD HIS OFFICES from morning until night, and if you would avoid disappointment you should call early. Dr. Barbrick makes regular visits to Portsmouth from time to time to personally attend to his many patients who are unable to visit his Boston Institute.

The New Cure

The old-fashioned slipshod methods of treating Chronic Diseases with their guess work diagnosis, their drastic and dangerous drugs, their harsh treatments and dangerous operations have passed away. The modern method of treatment, Magnopathy, with its certainty of diagnosis, its mild application of Nature's forces and remedies, its system of cure without cutting operations and harsh treatments has come in its place. This system of cure originated and developed by Dr. Barbrick, is peculiar to itself and is as essentially and radically different from all other methods, as it is superior to all other methods.

Diseases Cured

CATARH, ASTHMA, CONSUMPTION, and all diseases of the head, nose, throat, lungs and chest cured.

DEAFNESS, BLINDNESS, and diseases of the eye and ear cured.

DYSPEPSIA, INDIGESTION, and all diseases of the stomach and bowels cured.

CONSTIPATION, HEMORRHOIDS, Jaundice and all liver troubles cured.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE, DIABETES, and all diseases of the kidneys and bladder cured.

PIELIS AND RICEAL DISEASES cured without the infliction of detention from business.

NERVOUS DISEASES, EPILEPSY, and all nervous disorders, except insanity cured.

RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA, and all painful obstructions cured.

CANCERS AND ALL MALIGNANT GROWTHS cured without the knife.

TUMORS AND ALL ENLARGEMENTS and swellings cured without surgical operations.

SCROFULA and all skin diseases and all troubles cured.

PEZIMA, PSORIASIS and all eruptions, pimples and skin diseases cured.

DEFORMITIES, SPINAL CURVATURES, Hip Joint Diseases, Club Foot, Knock Knees, Soft Soles, etc., cured by a natural gift without the use of any method.

DISEASES OF WOMEN. Weaknesses, Discharges, Pains, Sterility, Barrenness and all female troubles cured without surgical operations. Fresh to human, possesses of simple means.

DISEASES AND WEAKNESS OF MEN. Venereal and venereal diseases cured without surgical operations and all nervous and blood troubles cured without poisonous or cutting operations.

As demanded by the thousands of patients who have been cured, the Kearsarge House, Portsmouth, N. H., will have the honor to receive Dr. Barbrick on Friday and Saturday, April 27 and 28, 1906, for the purpose of giving his Free Month treatment to all who call on him during this visit.

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PREACHED IN YORK

Rev. Glen W. Voliva Once A
Pastor There

NOW SUCCEEDS DOWIE AT ZION
CITY

The Old York Transcript publishes this very interesting news story:

Newspapers all over the country are reading with mingled feelings of amusement and distrust the doings in Zion City, Ill., where the followers of that peculiar faith have repudiated their leader, John Alexander Dowie, and given their allegiance to his supplanter, General Overseer Glen W. Voliva.

In view of the strange sort of notoriety that has come to him it is rather interesting to learn that Rev. G. W. Voliva was the pastor of the Christian Church at York Corner at the very beginning of his ministerial career.

He first came to York to preach Dec. 19, 1893, having fitted for the ministry at Stanfordville, N. Y. His home was in Urbana, Ill. At this time he was about twenty-five years of age, with a wife a little younger than himself. She was considered a remarkably handsome and accomplished woman.

The church records state that Mr. Voliva remained here one year, his pastorate closing March 2, 1895. During their stay in York both pastor and wife were well liked and made many friends. He is described as a man of brilliant mind, a splendid preacher and possessing strong personality. The reason given for leaving York was his desire to continue his studies, and it is learned that he subsequently entered the School of Disciples at Hiram, O.

Shortly after this it is said that Dowie came in contact with the young preacher and being struck by his attainments and promise of rapid development, he persuaded him to join his party, which at that time had since made 750 converts in Illinois.

During the eleven years that followed, a large flock of converts from York, Mass., Voliva has been reported, according to the records of the church, and who were and are, it is said, true and faithful members of the church and true in bowing to his authority, though in view of the fact that he is now a member of the church at Hiram, O., it is difficult to see how he can be a member of the church at York.

EXCELLENT CONCERT

Given By Young Ladies' Quartet On
Wednesday Evening

A crowd of goodly proportions at the Middle Street Baptist chapel on Wednesday evening enjoyed an excellent musical and literary entertainment given by the Young Ladies' quartet of the church.

There were ten numbers, all of them well chosen and of high merit. The selections by this quartet were received enthusiastically, as were the vocal solos by Mrs. Cushman, Mrs. Mudgett's cornet solos were particularly well received and Miss McFarland's rendering evidenced her high literary skill.

The program followed:
Part I
"How Gladly Sweeten Me"
J. C. Spillman
Quartet
"Sing On"
Miss Cushman
Reading
Miss McFarland
"A Southern Lullaby"
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Quartet
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management of Messrs. Wagenhals and Kemper at Music Hall next Monday evening in "Friend Hannah", by Paul Kester, author of "When Knighthood was in Flower" and "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall". Miss Russell has just closed a successful London engagement in Bernard Shaw's "Major Barbara" and so great was her success in the piece that her managers insisted on prolonging the run of the play at the Court Theatre three months after the time originally booked had elapsed. For that reason, the Spring tour in the new play with which Miss Russell is to open Messrs. Wagenhals and Kemper's new Astor Theatre, New York, next Fall has necessarily been made brief. Our theatregoers are to be congratulated that they will be among the few who will see Miss Russell in a production that is expected to be one of the most important events of the next New York theatrical season.

Keith's Theatre

As an announcement that will probably create unusual comment among the amusement seekers of Boston and vicinity, especially the music loving portion of the population is that which emanates from Keith's Boston Theatre in regard to the coming engagement of Creator and his Italian band at that popular playhouse the week commencing April 30. Creator, although still a young man, is recognized as one of the foremost handmasters of the world. On his recent tour of the United States, he and his famous musical organization were the rage of every city which they visited, as was likewise the case on his more recent tour of Great Britain. Although he never uses a score, his every movement is perfect interpretation—music made visible as motions. Creator and his band will give concerts of high class and popular music daily and it is a safe assumption to make that Keith's will be the Mecca of music lovers all over New England. The surrounding show is a notable one, including many entertainers who will be making their first appearance to Boston, and others who have not been seen at Keith's within a year. Included in the list will be the Pekin Zouaves, seventeen in number, in great exhibition of Bohemian military evolution; Seymour and Hill, comely acrobats; Eddie Leonard and the Sharp Boys in "Tuxelund"; Tom Hearn, skillful English comedy juggler; Henry Atkinson, mimetic comedian and whistler; and Inness and Ryan, in a comedy and singing sketch. As usual an entire new list of comedy and interesting motion pictures will be exhibited in the Kinetograph.

ENTHUSIASTIC HEARING

On the White Mountain Forestry Reserve Bill

Washington, April 26.—There was an enthusiastic hearing on the bill proposing to make a national forest reserve in the White Mountains, before the committee on forestry of the House of Representatives. The bill was introduced by Mr. McFarland of New Hampshire.

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EXPLOSIONS OFTEN DO THE WORST DAMAGE.

A Very Interesting List of Disasters Which Contains Some That Are of Unique Description.

An accident, which of its kind is probably unique, occurred in April, 1903, during a fire at Portland, Me. A railway accident led to the ignition of a huge tank containing 6,000 gallons of crude petroleum, says the Detroit Free Press.

Fearing that it would explode and scatter fire a wide area, the naval authorities brought up a one-pounder gun and bombarded the tank in order to let the oil run out.

The first shot fired missed the tank and killed an unfortunate spectator. Subsequent ones, however, effected their purpose, and ridding the tank, allowed the blazing oil to escape.

For a fire engine to cause a fire seems the very height of irony. Yet such a case actually occurred not long ago near Worcester. The engine in question belonged to an insurance company and was in process of being converted into a motor for self-propulsion.

The day before the work was finished there was a call from Kempsey village where a farm was on fire, and the engine, in spite of its incomplete condition, started.

No spark protector having been fixed sparks escaped, and these set fire to a load of straw which was passed on the road. Next two ricks became involved, and, finally, the water-tube of the motor burst and the unlucky engine came to a complete standstill barely 200 yards from the scene of the original fire!

Another story of a strange chapter of fire accidents comes from Cavanagh, in Armagh. A dog, running into a farm sitting room, barked at a cat, and puss, terrified, sprang on a table, upsetting a lighted lamp.

The burning oil saturated the poor beast's fur and, maddened by pain, she dashed around the room, which was already in a blaze, sprang through the window and rushed into the stack-yard.

Rick after rick was fired by this living torch until the whole place was alight and very serious damage was done. The farmer's son, too, was badly burned in his efforts to extinguish the flames.

A London gas works was once the scene of a curious fatal fire accident. A boiler full of molten tar gave way, and its contents catching fire from the furnace, spread in a tide of flame down the sloping floor of the sulphate room.

One of the workmen, caught between the flames and the wall, seized a ladder and, raising it to the window, sprang up it. Unhappily, the window had iron bars and before these could be removed the ladder burnt through and the poor man fell back into the furnace below.

Every one will remember the great Baltimore fire, the most terrible conflagration of 1904. After this was extinguished there was naturally great anxiety among the proprietors of the burned buildings to know how the contents of their fireproof safes had fared.

Most extraordinary were the finds. In one jewelry had been melted, while a box of matches was intact, and a silk handkerchief was not even discolored.

One of the most disastrous fires of late years was that which followed a chemical explosion at Griesheim, in Germany. The explosion took place in the Griesheim Electro-chemical factory, and almost simultaneously the whole building was in flames.

Fire engines came galloping up, but as they approached the men were seen to fall from their seats. Spectators running after them dropped as if shot, and, meanwhile, the blaze increased, involving fresh buildings and even crossing the river into the village of Schwabheim. What had happened was this:

The sudden mixture of vats of different chemicals under intense heat had filled the air with a gas of so terribly poisonous a nature that those who came within its deadly influence were suffocated at once. Fifty-one dead and three times that number injured was the result of that terrible fire.

Japan's Obligations.

The western powers are not models of scrupulous justice toward each other and toward weaker nations, but such an offense as Japan would commit in supporting, or even permitting if she could prevent, the driving of the occidentals from China would certainly be looked on as unpardonable. For one thing, at the very start, says the New York Times, it would snap the alliance with Great Britain. The British government would be forced to regard such an offense not merely as a failure in friendliness but as an act of flagrantly hostile import. And her grievance, though greater in degree, would be of precisely the same kind as that of Germany, France, the United States and Russia.

Training the Boy.

"I saw you punishing your boy to day. What was it all about?" "I caught him in a lie." "Oh, well, you can't expect a boy to tell the truth all the time." "I know, but when he doesn't tell the truth I want him to be bright enough not to be caught."—Catholic Standard.

Old English Law.

There is a law on the statute books of England designed for the protection of the persecuted male sex which no man has ever had the courage to invoke. It was passed during the reign of Queen Elizabeth, when parliament solemnly enacted that "any woman who, from that date would deceive or cajole into matrimony any of the subjects of her majesty, by the use of false hair or any other thing false in connection with her body, or by the use of paints or cosmetics, would be punished as for fraud and deceit, with intent to cause harm."

Another Wireless Record.

Wireless telegraphy broke its own record again when the operators at Colon "overheard" the conversation that took place one evening last month between the stations at Manhattan Beach and Pensacola, the total distance covered in the circuit being more than 2,000 miles. This record is all the more remarkable when it is remembered that the distance covered by the first transatlantic cable was only 1,650 miles.

Honest at Home.

In the southern Caucasus a traveler may still apply for food and shelter in any house and be sure of a welcome and the best available fare. The host takes care personally that nothing is stolen. Yet the same host, when the guest has left his home, may follow and rob him after he has gone a few miles.

Historic Kansas.

Matthew Sawyer, aged 97 years, who died the other day in Atchison county, Kansas, had helped to make the inauguration suit worn by President Andrew Jackson. He hauled corn to Atchison in the early days, receiving ten cents a bushel, and it took an entire load to purchase a pair of boots.

New Zealand Railways.

The state work shops of New Zealand have been working overtime lately, says the Four Track News, building new rolling stock for their railroads on account of the rapid increase of travel. There are few countries more interesting or more scenically wonderful than this South Sea colony.

Gratitude.

"Madam, dat wuz a fine meal," said Weary Wiggins. "I'd like to saw some wood for youse."

"We burn only gas," "Den permit me, madam, to turn off de burner for youse. I must do something to show me appreciation."—Chicago Sun.

Of Scientific Interest.

"Professor, can't you be at my house to-night at eight? My mother-in-law is coming over to fire our cook."

"And why should I be present, my good friend?"

"I want you to see an irresistible force meet an immovable body."

Transforming Vegetables.

Not satisfied with the usual grafting adopted by floriculturists, a Frenchman, M. Mollard, of Paris, has started in to transform vegetables. Already he has succeeded in turning a radish into a potato—according to a recent consular report.

Biting the Dust.

"Pastorized dirt!" exclaimed the property man. "What the dickens do they want that for?"

"For biting purposes," answered the subretriever. "Our villain is very particular. He won't bite any other kind."

Opium in Australia.

The different states, having agreed to prohibit the sale and growth of opium, the commonwealth government of Australia has prohibited the importation of opium except for medicinal purposes.

Negro Troops.

The Twenty-fourth infantry, now at San Francisco, waiting to take ship for Manila, January 25, is the first negro regiment that has been ordered on foreign service for nearly five years.

Queen's Lofty Garden.

Queen Margherita, of Italy, has an Alpine garden 6,000 feet above sea level, which is said to be not only the highest garden in the world, but the most perfect of its kind.

Tin in Colombia.

Some of the finest tin deposits in the world occur in Colombia. Many of the tin mines are worked by foreign companies.

Growth of Cannon.

Gunboats covered with four inches of iron were shot-proof in 1854. Now the latest cannon shot will penetrate 24 inches of the best steel.

Women Barbers in Austria.

There is a special examination in Austrian cities for female barbers, who are yearly growing more numerous.

Amended.

Knicker—Speech is silver. Bocker—And silence is oil.—N. Y. Sun.

Makes No One Bigg.

Tall talk never added one cubit to anybody's stature.

Nobles Galore.

Every fifteenth man in Spain is a noble.

ITS FIFTH VICTORY

Won By P. H. S. Nice At The Plains On Wednesday

With a cold wind blowing across the field and an occasional snow storm to give variety, the Portsmouth High School baseball team defeated York High School at The Plains on Wednesday afternoon, ten to seven.

It was a ragged game, with York carrying off the honors for bad and sleepy playing.

So far as Portsmouth was concerned, it was the poorest game of the season. The boys did not handle the ball as cleanly as is their custom and were not as wide awake as usual.

Quinn was hit fairly hard, but to do him justice probably acted the part of wisdom and did not exert himself overmuch.

Weare pitched very good ball, but fielded his position poorly.

The features of the game were the catching of Jenness and two sensational running catches in left field by Matthews.

The tabulated score:

Portsmouth High School									
	AB	R	B	H	P	O	A	E	
Hersey cf.....	4	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Ham 2b.....	5	2	2	2	5	2	5	2	
Wasson rf.....	5	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Call rf.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Jenness c.....	4	1	1	6	2	0	0	0	
Tredick 1b.....	3	3	1	13	0	3	0	0	
Brackett 3b.....	3	1	0	3	1	1	0	0	
Matthews lf.....	4	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	
McPeters ss.....	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	
Quinn p.....	3	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	
Total.....	35	10	7	27	12	9			

York High School									
	AB	R	B	H	P	O	A	E	
Martin c.....	5	2	2	10	3	3	0	0	
Lucas lf.....	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	
Woodward ss.....	5	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	
Lunt 3b.....	5	1	2	0	3	1	0	0	
Moulton cf.....	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Kent rf.....	5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	
Putnam 1b.....	4	0	0	6	0	2	0	0	
Weare p.....	4	1	0	0	2	4	0	0	
Hamilton 2b.....	4	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	
Total.....	42	7	11	23	10	11			

*Matthews hit by batted ball.

Innings.....1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

P. H. S.....2 0 2 3 1 0 2 0 —10

Y. H. S.....0 0 3 1 1 0 0 0 —7

Three base hit—Matthews. Two base hits—Jenness, Tredick. Struck out—Weare S. Quinn 6. First base on balls—Weare 3. Double play—Ham to Tredick. Wild pitch—Weare. Hit by pitched ball—Quinn. Time—1 hour, 45 minutes. Umpire—Barrett.

THE DOGFISH PROBLEM

The primitive industries of the coast towns of New England were fishing and farming, and if the farming has been materially reduced from its original proportions it is still regarded as of sufficient importance to play an important part in politics and some times as an obstructive factor in our international negotiations. But there is something that at the present time is more menacing to the fishermen's interests than reciprocity or special treaties, and that is the dogfish, which in the past few years have become more numerous and voracious than ever before, says the Boston Transcript. They are a kind of small shark, composed principally of stomach and teeth, and these have become the scourge of the fishing grounds. Their commercial value when caught is in inverse ratio to their powers of destructiveness. They are the vandals of the deep, and in their operations they are not satisfied with what they need for food but lay waste and render useless much of the sea product that would otherwise go to the benefit of man.

Fishermen are getting into a half-despairing mood concerning them, and perhaps it is not surprising that Congress has been appealed to for relief. This has resulted in Congressman Turrell's bill providing for an appropriation from which bounties on captured dogfish may be paid. But bounties have generally proved a rather ineffective method of getting rid of a pest, and in this case the bounty would have to be so infinitesimal as to make the enterprise hardly worth entering upon, or else it would bankrupt the communities that paid it. The United States could hardly go into the business, because only the Atlantic coast cities could be benefited.

It hardly seems to be a question for Congress to deal with. Perhaps the scientific bureau of the Government might render some service by devising a plan whereby the dogfish could be made marketable. There has been something done along this line already. Rendering plants have

been established in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, and the Canadian factories are exporting canned dogfish to the Western Islands and the West Indies while the unpleasant suggestion is thrown out that it finds sale in even more discriminating markets under the guise of halibut and other northern fish.

Mackerel are the favorite prey of these depredators though they are willing to vary their fare with shad, herring and other varieties. They are long distance and tireless navigators and they follow mackerel schools from one part of the ocean to the other. Not only that, but they break the nets of the fishermen and as a special delicacy gorge themselves on the squid that are used for bait, thus attacking the industry at its very foundation. It is said that on the coast of Nova Scotia dogfish are dried and fed to horses. One every three days brightens the coat, it is claimed. If only a way can be discovered to make the capture of these pirates of the fishing grounds worth while, their doom will be sealed. Thus far their imagined worthlessness has been their protection, but they may presume too far on past immunity. There was a time when halibut was equally taboo.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Washington, April 25.—In a proclamation issued today, President Roosevelt urges the American people now to send their contributions for the alleviation of the distress in San Francisco directly to former Mayor James D. Phelan, chairman of the finance committee in San Francisco, instead of to the American Red Cross.

Washington, April 25.—"Congress will adjourn some time between the middle of June and the first of August. That is my guess." This was the reply of Speaker Cannon today to an inquiry about the probable length of the present session.

Lynn, Mass., April 25.—A strike of 600 edgemakers employed in 70 shoe factories in this city which went into effect last Friday and which threw out of employment more than 5,000 employees, was ended at noon today, the strikers and manufacturers having reached an agreement through disinterested parties by which the difficulties will be settled by arbitration. A number of strikers returned to their benches this afternoon and by tomorrow morning all of them will be at work.

Lynn, Mass., April 25.—The Knights of Pythias grand lodge of Massachusetts opened its 37th annual session in Odd Fellows' Hall this forenoon, after Mayor Barnes had given a reception to Grand Chancellor W. L. Ramsdell of Lynn at City Hall. Mr. Ramsdell presided at the opening session. The annual meetings of the Rathbone Sisters, a branch of the Pythian Sisterhood, were begun at Providence and Pythian Halls respectively.

Washington, April 25.—Representatives Bennett and Rupert of New York have united in a minority report against the immigration bill recently reported by the house committee on immigration. Their opposition is that the bill makes no proper provision for the execution of the contract laws, to weed out the undesired immigrants from southern Italy who come singly, but it will penalize the Germans, Danes, Swedes, Norwegians, Finns, Irish, Scotch and English, who usually come with large families.

Boston, April 25.—Unable after more than seven hours deliberation to arrive at a satisfactory vote, the jury in the Hotel Essex screen case today reported a disagreement to Judge Bond in the superior criminal court. It is stated that District Attorney Moran will try the case again next term.

This queer notice appears in a Missouri paper and may be taken as a threat to tax dodgers: "All persons are hereby notified to pay their dog tax by April 1, otherwise they will be killed."

A HAIR RAISING STORY

Prominent Boston Tailor Passes Up From The Bald Headed Row.

The positive virtues of Dr. Cassius Wilson's great preparation for the hair and scalp are strongly set forth in a letter from a well known Bostonian. All who have any hair trouble should read his story.

"For fifteen years I have been growing bald, and my friends have made me a mark for all kinds of jokes, calling me the 'Baldheaded Row.' I tried every way to induce a growth of hair, many well known preparations, saving failures. I was told to use Dr. Wilson's Life To The Hair as it was doing great work to some acquaintances and being used by the best of the hair doctors. I bought a bottle and my bald head is now covered and the growth is continuing. It is the finest hair growth I have ever known. The Life To The Hair story, falling hair, cures dandruff and all other troubles, the cream and promotes the hair growth. The first hair dressing no oil or pomade is required. Sold by drug stores or sent in a box, 50 cents. Address: Dr. Cassius Wilson, 100 South St., Boston, S. H."

NOW IN THE PACIFIC

Vessels Which Were Formerly On Atlantic Coast

The owners of the mammoth seven masted schooner Thomas W. Lawson have closed a charter for that vessel from Hampton Roads to Honolulu, with coal and return with sugar. The only freight money amounts to \$41,000 and the return freight to \$72,000.

A charter of this description is very rare in Atlantic coast ports and alters. The five master Kheo O. Bath left Norfolk in November, 1904, with coal for Manila, then went to Sydney, N. S. W., and loaded coal for Honolulu and at the latter port loaded sugar for Delaware Breakwater, where she will soon be due.

With the exception of the five master Gov. Ames, which took coal to San Francisco, and the four master Harodine, which went on her first voyage from Boston to Melbourne, with a general cargo, practically no more of our big fore and afters have been around the Horn.

Exceptional Fellow.

Towne—Talk about your cold nerve and courage! I tell you, Jack Sterling's got it.

Browne—You don't say! Towne—Yes, sir! Why, that fellow can actually enjoy the jokes in the comic papers on the dentist's table while he's waiting his turn in the chair.—Philadelphia Press.

Cause for Thankgiving.

"Pop!" "Yes, my son." "Is it a fact that metal shingles are now in use?" "Yes, my boy." "Well, I suppose you're glad you went to school before they came into general use?"—Yonkers Statesman.

Keep Out of a Rut.

There is nothing easier and therefore there is nothing commoner than getting into a rut. To do so is a universal tendency which can only be overcome by an intelligent and determined resistance. A rut is the groove of a habit, and a habit is a labor-saving.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Cat's Long Cling.

After being missing for two weeks, a cat belonging to a family in Wiltshire, England, was found clinging to the side of a well 35 feet from the surface and just above the water. She was apparently none the worse for her experience when she was brought to the top.

Plant Intelligence.

Plants sometimes display what might be called intelligence. If, during a dry season, a bucket of water be placed near a growing pumpkin or melon, in the course of a few days the plant will turn from its course, and get at least one of its leaves in the water.

Measuring Raindrops.

The largest raindrops are about one-fifth of an inch in diameter. They are measured by allowing them to fall in flour. Each drop forms a pellet of dough. These pellets are compared with others obtained from drops of known size.

Where It Hurts.

"Does the automobile hurt your business?" "Yes. The junior partner and my stenographer are both in the hospital." And the man of affairs gave full vent to his feelings.

Laborites Now.

That fine old English saying that "Every little boy and girl, born into this world alive, is either a little liberal, or else a little conservative," must now be amended. Some of them are laborites.

The Origin of Dreams.

Knicker—Do you think dreams are caused by what you eat? Bocker—I know it; I had a little supper with the boys and now my wife has a dream of a hat.—N. Y. Sun.

The Optimist.

The optimist had just had both his legs cut off. "At least," he murmured gratefully, "I will no longer be told to step lively."—Judge.

Sacred Stone of Mecca.

The caaba, or sacred stone of Mecca, is re-covered every year with damask sent by the sultan or khedive. A single covering has, on occasion, cost \$15,000.

With That Exception.

Upgarson—Last night's soiree was a great success, wasn't it? Atom—Yes, all except your pronunciation of it.—Chicago Tribune.

British Bacon.

Bacon to the value of over \$30,000,000 was imported by Great Britain in 1904.

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LOCAL DASHES

Fast day in Maine.

More snow yesterday.

That Rye performance of "The Gypsies" is being awaited with eagerness.

The Court street Christian Church serves a salad supper on Tuesday, May 1.

Hatless heads among the misses are this early seen in Portsmouth's streets.

Portsmouth dust will soon become famous for its disagreeable odorous qualities.

"Princess Bonnie" is going to be about the real thing in the entertainment line.

"Princess Bonnie" will be the attraction at Music Hall on this and Friday evenings.

Next Sunday the Rye Choral Society will repeat the cantata "The Great Light," which was given at the Methodist Church Sunday evening.

The public schools are to take part in the observance of Memorial day as usual. Some of the grammar schools are already drilling for the march.

One-half the net proceeds of the performances of "Princess Bonnie" at Music Hall on this and Friday evenings will be devoted to the San Francisco relief fund.

Empty barrels are in demand in this city by farmers. By the way, this is the apple year they say, and these "horny handed sons of toil" are anticipating a harvest.

Coin collectors will be interested in learning that at an auction sale in New York the past week the highest price paid for a single coin was \$100, for a silver dollar coined in 1838, mentioned in the coin catalog as "excessively rare." Many coins were sold for prices from \$10 to \$1

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AMERICA'S MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR BACKBONE

We have all heard that the farmer is the backbone of the country from both a material and a moral standpoint. Some city folk, however, have looked contentedly at their congested industries, and smiled—just smiled! That was all. It was very aggravating to us who knew whereof we spoke, yet could not confront the self-satisfied unbeliever with a chevron-de-frise of figures. Now, thanks to the Detroit Free Press, we are furnished with spiked facts, on which we defy the urban iconoclast to press his heel. Discussing the financial obligation the country owes the farmer for 1904, the last year in which fully compiled statistics are available, it says:

"Eighty million dollars in gold is an imposing sum for a nation to produce in a single year, yet the output of yellow metal sinks into insignificance when ranged alongside the value of crops which the tillers of the soil are preparing to place on the world's markets. Last year the combined value of the wheat, cotton and corn crops was approximately \$2,500,000,000. Added to this was the hay crop, valued at more than \$500,000,000; the oats crop worth half as much; a yield of potatoes representing \$130,000,000, besides barley, tobacco and rye and flaxseed crops aggregating \$135,000,000 more. All things considered which are taken into account in estimating the products of the soil, the total contribution of the farmers to the nation's wealth in 1904 approximated \$5,000,000,000."

Our "millions for defence" was once a mere figure of oratorical speech, who knows but what we shall some day need these very millions, since the modern "financier" seems so anxious to expatriate himself as soon as he has accumulated a self-satisfying amount of coin and begins to look about for social prestige? Of one thing we may be sure. The multi-billion dollar backbone of the nation will remain ready to stiffen itself against any foreign onslaughts.

BIRDS' EYE VIEWS

The cockroach is most versatile.—He is, upon my soul!—Each morning at the boarding house He's in a different roll!

Let's see, didn't someone at some time mention such a thing as a coal strike in progress?

A newspaper correspondent suggests tall silk hats for the clergy as a mark of their calling. The natural supplements, however, would be a small boy and a snowball.

The election of Captain Richmond P. Hobson to Congress from Alabama is practically assured. Another good man gone wrong, will be the general verdict.

A number of Serbian regicides have left the army. Those who oppose restriction of immigration would probably be pleased to welcome these, as well as other, murderers to this country.

Twenty thousand foreigners, who and themselves entitled to the privileges of the Chicago ballot box, have demanded Sunday beer. If all the foreigners in Boston and New York de-

manded it, they'd be very liable to get it.

In leaving for Europe this week, Walter Wellman really started on the first stage of what he intends shall be a voyage to the Pole. What proof are to have that Walt gets there, even if he does?

F. L. Stanton, writing in the Atlanta Constitution, is very sure that "The man gets the possum. Who first climbs the tree?" But what if the possum isn't there?

The poet who writes: "I shall see Shelley and shake hands with Keats" must be pretty sure that both have gone to the same place in spite of the magazine exposures.

Enterprising weeklies and a few habitually behind the times dailies are still printing pictures of the "Cliff House Which Was Destroyed," although it has been known for days that the only damage done to the Cliff House would cost less than \$500 to repair.

Boston boasts much of having won Daniel Webster from New Hampshire—his native state. Not only for that reason, but also because she won him from Portsmouth, we are tempted to quote from Theodore Parker's "Discourse on the Death of Daniel Webster" where he says: "Boston was the Dollyab that allured him. Off he broke the withes of gold, till at last she shore off his locks, and his strength went from him."

OUR EXCHANGES

Ode To Affluence

(With apologies to Alexander Pope) Happy the man whose wish and care A million dollar palace bound, Content to breathe a millionaire The year around.

Whose private cars, whose horses, yachts, Whose autos, all one could desire, Whose houses in a dozen spots We all admire.

Who sails away across the seas In search of constant recreation, Whose slightest whim he may appease With new sensation.

Thus let me live, much seen, much known, Whatever is for sale, I'd buy, Whatever I wanted, I would own! Oh me! Oh my! —Harold Susman in the American Magazine.

Good Gospel

Archbishop O'Connell likewise believes that the "man with the muck-rake" should occasionally get away from his filth and think of something higher. This is good gospel.—Boston Journal.

Prohibition Snakes

There is a popular belief abroad that Maine is inhabited by many kinds of snakes, when as a matter of fact one may name all the species found there on one hand. For common use there are the green and striped snakes, both plentiful and both harmless. In addition to these there are a few colonies of ring-neck snakes scattered among Maine quarries. Then there are the harmless and chubby water snakes, known to all inland fishermen, and now and again one finds an adder, the "milk adder" of our ancestors. And all of these are harmless as babes. They are not big enough to hurt anyone, and though they should bite and bite, they have no venom and can do no injury.—Bangor News.

Eliminating Cruelty

It is agreeable to observe that a strong movement is in progress for the elimination of all the remains of cruelty from English sports. The bull baitings, badger baitings and goose pluckings have long been mere memories of the past. Now the stamp of disapproval is being set upon pigeon shooting, rabbit coursing and the "hunting" of stags, which are carted in cages to the scene of torment and butchery. Many, perhaps most, of those who indulge in these "sports" are secretly disgusted with the brutality of them, and it is probable that little opposition, but rather much acclaim and hearty satisfaction will be evoked by the proposal to prohibit them by law. In this country we have already got rid of some of the crudest form of "sport," though some states still permit slingers to maul and maim each other. But that is better than torturing helpless animals.—New York Tribune.

Mighty Chicago

Chicago is not yet the largest city in the country, but it is large enough to go in for big things without arousing wonder that lasts over nine days. It has been just announced that the

Windy City will soon have in operation the largest electric light and power station in the world. It will be a steam turbine plant, and all the boilers will be equipped with automatic stokers so that no manual labor will be involved in feeding coal. There will be an electrical kitchen, refrigerating apparatus, ice plant, and a number of bathrooms, bedrooms and locker rooms, all for the convenience of the employees.—Bridford Journal.

The Truth About Panama

Lindsay Denison, who, unhampered by any necessity of catching the next boat back, recently made a detailed investigation of the work being done on the Panama Canal, does not share the gloomy views of certain of the administration's long distance critics. In an extremely sane article in the current Everybody's entitled "Making Good at Panama," he says: "On the Isthmus of Panama the business of the American people is being well done. It is not perfect. There is too much petty graft—as on the railroad; but it is of no more importance than mosquito bites on an elephant. But one has only to use his eyes to see that we have gone into to one of the pest holes of the world and have made it fairly habitable; that we have tackled a job in which another great nation, failed conspicuously and are so conducting it as to keep clear of shame; that in spite of tremendous difficulties on the spot and malicious and mercenary hindrances here at home we are doing sane, effective, honest work; that we are going to build the canal and build it well!"

"There are too many men on the Isthmus who ought not to be there. But in John F. Stevens and in the men who surround him there burns the spirit embodied in the words which Theodore Roosevelt is said to have uttered recently to an engineer about to depart for Panama:

"Remember this: that whatever the American people may think of you and me, the last thing they will ever forget about either of us will be that we had to do with the making of the Panama Canal!"

THE MAGAZINES

Field and Stream

How young men of the large cities may pursue wilderness tactics near home is graphically told in the April Field and Stream by Jesse L. Bennett, who, with a companion or two, has found relief from office duties by tramping out to nearby wild spots for a couple of days beside the campfire. A vigorous description of a fearless old constable who, unarmed, stopped a band of cowboys from "shooting up" a town is found in Franklin's Hawley's "The Constable." In "The Courser de Bois" Marston Pollough—Pogue tells a pretty story of an old trapper. "The Whale Hunters of Neah Bay" by Lucien M. Lewis relates to the killing of "Chit-up-puk" by the Makah Indians of the Northwest. A very instructive serial on "Tracks and Trailing," by Joseph Brunner is begun in this number and the second paper by Charles A. Sartain on "Big Game Hunting in the Rockies" follows. The cover design is by Edward V. Brewer and the frontispiece by Louis Rhead, both related to trout fishing.

Tales

This month's Tales contains, as usual, a most interesting collection of fiction by the best story-tellers of other lands. The complete novel is "The Fairy Godfather," by Henry Kistmaeckers, one of the most popular of the younger French authors. It is as good an example as has ever appeared in English of the qualities for which the French are famous.

Among the authors of the short stories in the issue perhaps the name best known in America is that of Ed. mondo de Amicis, who makes his first appearance in Tales with a clever and amusing story. No less fine in its way is the contribution of his scarcely less famous countrywoman, Mathilde Seron. From the French there are stories pathetic and humorous by Andre Theuriet, Henri Greville and Maurice LeBlanc. A capital bit of humor from the German is "The Donkey Spring," by Rudolph Baumbach and other stories from the same language are by Leo von Torn and Karl Hans Strobl. All told there are seven languages represented in the sixteen stories contained in the issue.

PARENTIAN HELD

Frank J. Parentian, or Michael Chapdelaine, arraigned in Dover on the charge of bigamy, was held for the September term of the Stratford county superior court. He was sent to jail in default of bail amounting to \$500.

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CITY COUNCIL MEETING

(Continued from first page)

nation chemical, laid over from the meeting two weeks ago, was brought up, and several technical objections raised, mostly by Councilman Boynton, who contended that the purchase constituted the contracting of a new debt. The chair did not agree with the councilman, and there was a heated volley of words.

"It seems to me," said Councilman Colbeth, "that we are spending money for something we can get along without." He spoke of repairing the old chemical at a small expense, and of the combination chemical having proven unsatisfactory in other cities. He had heard that it would take seven or eight men to run one of them properly.

Councilman Trueman denied the truth of the remarks in toto.

"There has been," he went on, "some influence used by former members of the city government to have this action voted against by us. Some of the councilmen have been approached and told that the fire committee will make three hundred dollars on this purchase. That is probably the basis they used to do business on. I had the mayor put on this purchasing committee to insure against graft."

On query, he said that three men would be needed to run the wagon.

Mayor Marvin's Remarks

Mayor Marvin apologized to the council for speaking on the matter, saying that, in spite of the rules, the council was merely a board of directors of the city affairs. He dealt at length with the relations of the city government and the fire department. He said the wisdom of doing away with the quick hitch, in spite of adverse criticism, had been demonstrated by the action of the new board of engineers, the best fire fighters in the city, and elected as such to their offices by the councilmen, in doing away with the steamers answering the first sounding of the fire alarm.

"I am opposed," said Councilman Boynton, "to spending two thousand dollars for more apparatus and a thousand dollars to run it. The tax rate is now twenty-eight dollars, and at this rate it will be more next year."

The motion to purchase was carried, Councilmen Colbeth and Boynton voting alone in the negative.

Another little tilt here occurred between the mayor and Councilman Boynton as to whether this constituted an increase of debt.

Following this, the mayor, for the first time this year, called two of the councilmen sharply to order as they were conversing in an undertone.

Bond Approved

The bond of Ralph Walker as city treasurer was approved.

Sewer Troubles

On motion of Councilman Long, the matter of the Madison street sewer was referred to the committee on sewers.

Money Asked For

Dr. A. B. Sherburne, chairman of the board of health, appeared before the council to ask for money to care for a diphtheria case discovered on Tuesday. The matter of paying for anti-toxin was discussed. Two hundred dollars was voted by the council for the present use of the board.

Keeper Of Bath House

Councilman Wendell wanted a keeper of the bath house elected, and suggested the name of Thomas J. Goodwin. The other councilmen thought the matter should lay over.

Bills

The auditor's report was read, and a number of unsatisfactory bills were produced. A motion to refer these to the committee on claims was lost. The bill were then referred to the committees on claims and finance to act jointly.

Adjournment

Adjournment was taken for one month.

SIGN OF SPRING

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COMPLAINT AGAINST DOVER POINT HOUSE

City Marshal McKone of Dover has

sited a complaint against Johanna M. Lancaster, proprietress of the Dover Point House and holder of a first class license. A hearing will be held before the license commissioners next Monday.

VERDICT—\$14.35

In a Case Against the Boston and Maine Railroad

The jury in the case of Elizabeth Hersey against the Boston and Maine railroad gave a verdict of \$14.35 for the plaintiff in superior court at Exeter on Wednesday afternoon.

An action to recover the value of a drag-seine net was begun on Wednesday afternoon. Fred Howland and Joseph Blake of Hampton are the plaintiffs and Samuel L. Truesdale of Newburyport, Mass., the defendant.

ANNUAL MEETING MAY 1

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Associates Land Company of Portsmouth will be held at the office of the president, No. 7 Pleasant street, on Tuesday, May 1, at eight p. m.



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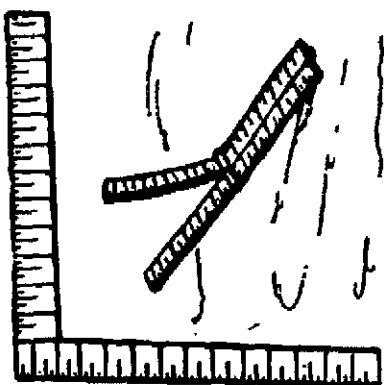
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The decorations were in most graceful form and attracted general attention. The hall was embowered in evergreen; in the parlor beside other adornings, a corner was banked with palms and therein the service was pronounced; the sitting room was in ferns, carnations and roses, and the dining hall had ferns and roses, huge masses of pinks occupying central points on the table.

The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate families and a few invited guests. It was one of the most attractive home wedding events celebrated in Portsmouth for many a day.

Rev. Lucius H. Thayer of the North Church officiated, and the fair bride appeared in a beautiful cream Panama with black pencil stripes cut walking length, white batiste waist with val ruffling and Hamburg insertion.

an Alice blue hat with ribbon and wings to match. She carried a bouquet of valley lilies, and maiden hair ferns, and made a winsome picture. The couple were unattended.

Miss Eva B. Stillson rendered the wedding march on their appearance. Reich catered and served sandwiches and olives, assorted cake and ices and fruit punch.

Many beautiful tributes were bestowed these including cut glass, silver, bric-a-brac, indeed, the useful with the ornamental.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthews will after a bridal trip to New York take residence in Boston where both are well known and popular.

The charming bride is a graduate of the Portsmouth High School, class of '29, and had been stenographer for the American Book Company of Boston, and previously was in the telephone exchange in Portsmouth.

The groom is connected with the Hartwell Coal Company of Boston, and is equally well, and favorably known.

Included among the guests were these: Misses Ethel Taylor and Alice Nixon, Boston; Miss Grace Pettengill, Salisbury; Varnum Curtis,

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H., a quantity of naval supplies, as follows: Sch. 1134: Vitriol and iron nails—each, 500; 14-16-18-20-22-24-26-28-30-32-34-36-38-40-42-44-46-48-50-52-54-56-58-60-62-64-66-68-70-72-74-76-78-80-82-84-86-88-90-92-94-96-98-100-102-104-106-108-110-112-114-116-118-120-122-124-126-128-130-132-134-136-138-140-142-144-146-148-150-152-154-156-158-160-162-164-166-168-170-172-174-176-178-180-182-184-186-188-190-192-194-196-198-200-202-204-206-208-210-212-214-216-218-220-222-224-226-228-230-232-234-236-238-240-242-244-246-248-250-252-254-256-258-260-262-264-266-268-270-272-274-276-278-280-282-284-286-288-290-292-294-296-298-300-302-304-306-308-310-312-314-316-318-320-322-324-326-328-330-332-334-336-338-340-342-344-346-348-350-352-354-356-358-360-362-364-366-368-370-372-374-376-378-380-382-384-386-388-390-392-394-396-398-400-402-404-406-408-410-412-414-416-418-420-422-424-426-428-430-432-434-436-438-440-442-444-446-448-450-452-454-456-458-460-462-464-466-468-470-472-474-476-478-480-482-484-486-488-490-492-494-496-498-500-502-504-506-508-510-512-514-516-518-520-522-524-526-528-530-532-534-536-538-540-542-544-546-548-550-552-554-556-558-560-562-564-566-568-570-572-574-576-578-580-582-584-586-588-590-592-594-596-598-600-602-604-606-608-610-612-614-616-618-620-622-624-626-628-630-632-634-636-638-640-642-644-646-648-650-652-654-656-658-660-662-664-666-668-670-672-674-676-678-680-682-684-686-688-690-692-694-696-698-700-702-704-706-708-710-712-714-716-718-720-722-724-726-728-730-732-734-736-738-740-742-744-746-748-750-752-754-756-758-760-762-764-766-768-770-772-774-776-778-780-782-784-786-788-790-792-794-796-798-800-802-804-806-808-810-812-814-816-818-820-822-824-826-828-830-832-834-836-838-840-842-844-846-848-850-852-854-856-858-860-862-864-866-868-870-872-874-876-878-880-882-884-886-888-890-892-894-896-898-900-902-904-906-908-910-912-914-916-918-920-922-924-926-928-930-932-934-936-938-940-942-944-946-948-950-952-954-956-958-960-962-964-966-968-970-972-974-976-978-980-982-984-986-988-990-992-994-996-998-1000-1002-1004-1006-1008-1010-1012-1014-1016-1018-1020-1022-1024-1026-1028-1030-1032-1034-1036-1038-1040-1042-1044-1046-1048-1050-1052-1054-1056-1058-1060-1062-1064-1066-1068-1070-1072-1074-1076-1078-1080-1082-1084-1086-1088-1090-1092-1094-1096-1098-1100-1102-1104-1106-1108-1110-1112-1114-1116-1118-1120-1122-1124-1126-1128-1130-1132-1134-1136-1138-1140-1142-1144-1146-1148-1150-1152-1154-1156-1158-1160-1162-1164-1166-1168-1170-1172-1174-1176-1178-1180-1182-1184-1186-1188-1190-1192-1194-1196-1198-1200-1202-1204-1206-1208-1210-1212-1214-1216-1218-1220-1222-1224-1226-1228-1230-1232-1234-1236-1238-1240-1242-1244-1246-1248-1250-1252-1254-1256-1258-1260-1262-1264-1266-1268-1270-1272-1274-1276-1278-1280-1282-1284-1286-1288-1290-1292-1294-1296-1298-1300-1302-1304-1306-1308-1310-1312-1314-1316-1318-1320-1322-1324-1326-1328-1330-1332-1334-1336-1338-1340-1342-1344-1346-1348-1350-1352-1354-1356-1358-1360-1362-1364-1366-1368-1370-1372-1374-1376-1378-1380-1382-1384-1386-1388-1390-1392-1394-1396-1398-1400-1402-1404-1406-1408-1410-1412-1414-1416-1418-1420-1422-1424-1426-1428-1430-1432-1434-1436-1438-1440-1442-1444-1446-1448-1450-1452-1454-1456-1458-1460-1462-1464-1466-1468-1470-1472-1474-1476-1478-1480-1482-1484-1486-1488-1490-1492-1494-1496-1498-1500-1502-1504-1506-1508-1510-1512-1514-1516-1518-1520-1522-1524-1526-1528-1530-1532-1534-1536-1538-1540-1542-1544-1546-1548-1550-1552-1554-1556-1558-1560-1562-1564-1566-1568-1570-1572-1574-1576-1578-1580-1582-1584-1586-1588-1590-1592-1594-1596-1598-1600-1602-1604-1606-1608-1610-1612-1614-1616-1618-1620-1622-1624-1626-1628-1630-1632-1634-1636-1638-1640-1642-1644-1646-1648-1650-1652-1654-1656-1658-1660-1662-1664-1666-1668-1670-1672-1674-1676-1678-1680-1682-1684-1686-1688-1690-1692-1694-1696-1698-1700-1702-1704-1706-1708-1710-1712-1714-1716-1718-1720-1722-1724-1726-1728-1730-1732-1734-1736-1738-1740-1742-1744-1746-1748-1750-1752-1754-1756-1758-1760-1762-1764-1766-1768-1770-1772-1774-1776-1778-1780-1782-1784-1786-1788-1790-1792-1794-1796-1798-1800-1802-1804-1806-1808-1810-1812-1814-1816-1818-1820-1822-1824-1826-1828-1830-1832-1834-1836-1838-1840-1842-1844-1846-1848-1850-1852-1854-1856-1858-1860-1862-1864-1866-1868-1870-1872-1874-1876-1878-1880-1882-1884-1886-1888-1890-1892-1894-1896-1898-1900-1902-1904-1906-1908-1910-1912-1914-1916-1918-1920-1922-1924-1926-1928-1930-1932-1934-1936-1938-1940-1942-1944-1946-1948-1950-1952-1954-1956-1958-1960-1962-1964-1966-1968-1970-1972-1974-1976-1978-1980-1982-1984-1986-1988-1990-1992-1994-1996-1998-2000-2002-2004-2006-2008-2010-2012-2014-2016-2018-2020-2022-2024-2026-2028-2030-2032-2034-2036-2038-2040-2042-2044-2046-2048-2050-2052-2054-2056-2058-2060-2062-2064-2066-2068-2070-2072-2074-2076-2078-2080-2082-2084-2086-2088-2090-2092-2094-2096-2098-2100-2102-2104-2106-2108-2110-2112-2114-2116-2118-2120-2122-2124-2126-2128-2130-2132-2134-2136-2138-2140-2142-2144-2146-2148-2150-2152-2154-2156-2158-2160-2162-2164-2166-2168-2170-2172-2174-2176-2178-2180-2182-2184-2186-2188-2190-2192-2194-2196-2198-2200-2202-2204-2206-2208-2210-2212-2214-2216-2218-2220-2222-2224-2226-2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Boston & Maine R. R.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
In Effect Oct. 9, 1906.

EASTERN DIVISION.

Trains Leave Portsmouth.
For Boston—3.25, 7.20, 8.15, 10.53 a. m., 2.21, 5.00, 7.28 p. m. Sunday 3.25, 8.00 a. m., 2.21, 5.00 p. m.
For Portland—9.55, 10.46 a. m., 3.55, 5.22, 8.45, 11.35 p. m. Sunday, 10.05, 10.45 a. m., 8.45, 11.35 p. m.
For Wells Beach—9.55 a. m., 2.55, 5.22 p. m. Sunday 10.05 a. m.
For Old Orchard and Portland—9.55 a. m., 2.55, 5.22 p. m. Sunday 10.05 a. m.
For North Conway—9.55 a. m., 2.55 p. m.
For Somersworth—4.50, 9.45, 9.55 a. m., 2.40, 2.55, 5.22, 5.30 p. m.
For Rochester—9.45, 9.55 a. m., 2.55, 5.22, 5.30 p. m.
For Dover—4.50, 9.45, 12.15 a. m., 2.50, 5.22, 8.47 p. m. Sunday, 10.05, 10.48 a. m., 8.47 p. m.
For North Hampton and Hampton—7.20, 8.15, 10.53 a. m., 5.00 p. m. Sunday, 8.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m.
For Greenland—7.20, 8.15, 10.53 a. m., 5.00 p. m. Sunday 8.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m.

Trains For Portsmouth.

Leave Boston—7.30, 9.00, 10.10 a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 4.45, 7.00, 10.00 p. m. Sunday 4.00, 8.20, 9.00 a. m., 6.30, 10.00 p. m.
Leave Portland—1.30, 9.00 a. m., 12.45, 6.00 p. m. Sunday 1.30 a. m., 12.45, 5.40 p. m.
Leave Old Orchard—9.09 a. m., 12.45, 3.54, 5.32 p. m. Sunday 5.06 p. m.
Leave North Conway—7.38 a. m., 4.07 p. m.
Leave Rochester—7.20, 9.47 a. m., 3.52, 6.11 p. m.
Leave Somersworth—6.35, 7.23, 10.00 a. m., 4.05, 6.24 p. m.
Leave Dover—6.50, 10.25 a. m., 1.40, 4.30, 6.30, 9.20 p. m. Sunday 7.30 a. m., 9.20 p. m.
Leave Hampton—9.22, 11.50 a. m., 2.24, 4.39, 6.16 p. m. Sunday 6.10, 10.06 a. m., 7.59 p. m.
Leave North Hampton—9.28, 11.55 a. m., 2.39, 5.05, 6.21 p. m. Sunday, 6.15, 10.12 a. m., 8.05 p. m.
Leave Greenland—9.25 a. m., 12.01, 2.36, 5.11, 6.27 p. m. Sunday 6.20, 10.18 a. m., 8.10 p. m.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Portsmouth Branch.
Trains leave the following stations for Manchester, Concord and intermediate stations:
Portsmouth—8.30 a. m., 12.40, 5.25 p. m.
Greenland Village—8.30 a. m., 12.45, 5.33 p. m.
Rockingham Junction—9.05 a. m., 1.02, 5.38 p. m.
Epping—9.20 a. m., 1.16, 5.14 p. m.
Raymond—9.30 a. m., 1.27, 5.25 p. m.
Returning leave
Concord—7.45, 10.25 a. m., 3.30 p. m.
Manchester—8.32, 11.10 a. m., 4.20 p. m.
Raymond—9.05, 11.48 a. m., 5.02 p. m.
Epping—9.20 a. m., 12.00 m., 5.16 p. m.
Rockingham Junction—9.47 a. m., 12.16, 5.55 p. m.
Greenland Village—10.01 a. m., 12.28, 6.08 p. m.
Trains connect at Rockingham Junction for Exeter, Haverhill, Lawrence and Boston. Trains connect at Manchester and Concord for Plymouth, Woodsville, Lancaster, St. Johnsbury, Newport, Vt., Montreal and the west.

*Via Dover and Western Division.
Information Given Through Ticket Agents Sold and Baggage Checked to All Points at the Station.
DANA B. CUTTER, Ticket Agent
D. J. FLANDERS & P. T. A.

YORK HARBOR & BEACH R. R.
In Effect April 23, 1906

Leave Portsmouth—7.50, 11.00 a. m., 3.00, 5.35 p. m.
Leave York Beach—6.40, 10.00 a. m., 1.30, 4.05 p. m.
Leave York Harbor 6 minutes later.
DANA B. CUTTER,
Ticket Agent.
D. J. FLANDERS,
G. P. and T. A.

Decorations for Weddings
—AND—
Flowers Furnished For All Occasions.
FURNISH DESIGNS & SPECIALTY.
CAFESTICK'S, ROGERS STREET.

Portsmouth Electric Railway.

Time-Table in Effect Daily, Commencing Sept. 11, 1905.

Main Line.
Leave Market Square for Rye Beach and Little Bear's Head at 7.05 a. m. and hourly until 7.05 p. m.
For Cable Road only at 7.30 a. m., 7.50 a. m., and 10.05 p. m.
For Little Bear's Head only at 8.05 p. m. and 9.05 p. m. The 10.05 a. m., 1.05 p. m., 4.05, 5.05, 7.05, 8.05 and 9.05 p. m. cars make close connection for North Hampton. On Theatre Nights 10.05 p. m. car waits until close of performance.
Returning—Leave Junction with E. H. & A. St. Ry. at 8.05 a. m. and hourly until 8.05 p. m.
Leave Cable Road at 7.10 a. m., 7.30 a. m. and 10.40 p. m. Leave Little Bear's Head 9.10 p. m. and 10.10 p. m. Leave Sagamore Hill, Sundays only, for Market Sq. at 10.23 a. m.

Plains Loop.
Up Middle Street and up Islington street—Leave Market Square at 7.05 a. m., 7.05 a. m., and half hourly until 10.05 p. m., and a 10.35 and 11.05 p. m. Up Middle street only at 10.35 p. m. Sundays.
Last cars each night run to car bar only.
Running time to Plains, 13 minutes.
Christian Shore Loop.
Up Islington Street and Down Market Street—Leave Market Square at 7.05 a. m., 7.05 a. m., and half hourly until 10.05 p. m., and a 10.35 and 11.05 p. m.
Running time from Market Square to B. & M. Station is, up Islington street, 16 minutes; and down Market street, 4 minutes.
Last cars at night run to car bar only.

North Hampton Line—Week Days.
Leave North Hampton Station for Little Bear's Head, Rye Beach and Cable Road at 7.30 a. m., 8.30, 9.30, 11.00, 11.55 a. m., 2.29 p. m., 5.05 and 6.25 p. m. Connecting with 9.28 a. m., 10.58, 11.3 a. m., 2.39 p. m., 5.03 and 6.27 p. m. trains from Boston.
Returning—Leave Portsmouth at 8. a. m.
Leave Cable Road 7.00 a. m., 8.30, 9.00, 10.30, 11.30 a. m., 12.30 p. m., 3.00, 5.45, 7.05 p. m. Connecting with 7.41 a. m., 8.30, 11.19 a. m. and 2.35 p. m. trains for Boston.
Leave North Hampton Station for Little Bear's Head only 9.00 p. m. and 10.02 p. m.
Returning—Leave Little Bear's Head at 1.55 p. m., 4.15, 4.45, 7.50, 8.50 and 9.50 p. m.
Sundays.
Leave North Hampton Station for Little Bear's Head only 9.00 a. m. and hourly until 10.00 p. m.
Returning—Leave Little Bear's Head at 8.45 a. m. and hourly until 9.45 p. m.
All trips on Sundays connect with Main Line cars at Little Bear's Head.
*Omitted Sundays and Holidays.
xMake close connections for Portsmouth.
ySaturdays only.

D. J. FLANDERS,
Gen'l Pass and Ticket Agent
WINSLOW T. FERRIS,
Superintendent.

U. S. Navy Yard Ferry TIME TABLE.

October 1 Until March 31
Leaves Navy Yard—8.20, 8.40, 9.15, 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m., 1.25, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 4.35, 5.01, 5.50, 7.45 p. m. Sundays, 10.00, 10.15 a. m., 12.15, 12.25 p. m. Holidays, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m.
Leaves Portsmouth—8.30, 8.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m., 12.15, 1.45, 2.30, 3.30, 4.23, 4.45, 5.30, 6.00, 10.00 p. m. Sundays, 10.07 a. m., 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m. Holidays, 10.00, 11.00 a. m., 12.00 p. m.
*Wednesdays and Saturdays.
FERRY GARST,
Captain, U. S. N. Captain of the Yard.
Approved: W. W. MEAD,
Captain, U. S. N., Commandant.

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CALSPAY'S BLUNDER.

When Calspay came down to breakfast the other morning he found Mrs. Calspay awaiting him with a certain air of expectancy. At least that was the way it impressed Calspay. He was not an observing man in some matters, but he observed that. He also observed that Mrs. Calspay was wearing a very pretty kimono and that her morning kiss was—well, perhaps a little more fervid than usual. There was nothing in all this, however, to occasion remark.

Calspay took his accustomed place at the table and unfolded his napkin. His wife smiled at him from behind the cups. He smiled back pleasantly enough.

"Well?" said the lady, inquiringly.

"Well, what?" asked Calspay, in return.

"Oh, nothing. There! I forgot whether I put sugar in your coffee or not."

"Scoop into it with a spoon," suggested Calspay. "You can easily tell."

"Henry," said Mrs. Calspay, after satisfying herself that the coffee was properly qualified, "do you remember when we were first married how long it took me to keep in mind whether you took one or two lumps in your coffee?"

"Uh-huh," replied Calspay. "Push the buttered toast over this way a little, please."

"My brothers, both of them, drank theirs without sugar," pursued Mrs. Calspay, "so I was always giving you yours unsweetened. But you were awfully patient and nice about it."

"I am still," said Calspay, taking a large semi-circular bite out of a slice of toast and opening his paper.

"I know you are—at times. But you didn't read horrid newspapers at breakfast then, did you?"

"Eh? Eh—I beg your pardon, my dear, but I didn't catch that last observation."

"No, I suppose not. I say you didn't read newspapers at the breakfast table when we were first married."

"I—yes, my dear."

"Why, you aren't listening to what I say a bit."

"Yes, I am. You said that—that—"

Mrs. Calspay sighed. "Henry," she said, softly, "do you remember the first breakfast we ever ate together?"

"Yes," replied her husband. "Perfectly. We had ham and eggs and waffles. I wish we could have waffles some morning; it seems to me we haven't had them for an age."

Mrs. Calspay sighed again. "It was just such a cold, snowy morning as this, wasn't it?" she said, in the same reminiscent tone.

"That reminds me that I've got to get a new pair of rubbers," said Calspay.

"Do put down that paper a moment."

"Well, what is it?"

"I said a little while ago that you didn't read the paper at the breakfast table when we were first married."

Calspay looked at her in surprise. "I didn't know you objected to it, my dear," he said.

"Well, I don't—some days."

"Give me another cup of coffee, please."

"I know how much sugar to put in now, don't I?"

"You do, but you don't always do it. That last wasn't quite sweet enough."

"I have always been glad that I was married in winter."

"Why?"

"Oh, because!"

"That's a good reason."

"And I never look out on a snowy morning like that that I don't think of our first morning together. Everything was so pretty in that hotel. And I remember how the rice dropped out and I was afraid the waiter would see it. Emily threw about a quart right down my neck. I thought it was awfully mean of her."

"Speaking of Emily. I saw that brother of hers downtown the other day," said Calspay. "He looked seedier than a slice of rye bread in a Dutch trench. Did the plumber come around yesterday?"

"Yes," answered Mrs. Calspay. "It was about time he did. Well, I must be getting off."

"Henry, do you know what day this is?"

"Thursday."

"No, but—"

"The 18th. I think I'll wear my ulster this morning and my cap. Will you hunt the cap up for me, dear? It's got on the hall rack, I know. And I want those lined gloves, too, but I won't wait for them. Just see if you can dig up the cap in a hurry. I've got about ten minutes to make that train."

He went out into the hall and slipped into his ulster and stood waiting. In a little while she came to him with the cap in her hand. He put it on and was bending for the farewell kiss when he perceived, to his amazement, two large tears trickling down his wife's cheeks and saw that her chin was quivering.

"Why, Edith?"

"Oh," she sobbed, "you've forgotten! I did think you would care enough for that. But you've forgotten the day—the day—"

"The day?" repeated Calspay. "The day? What day are you talking about? What's the mat—oh, by Jove, yes! I had forgotten for the moment. It is our wedding day, isn't it?"—Chicago Daily News.

HIS LAST SERMON.

BY G. B. BURGIN.

Although in the early days of their settlement at Four Corners, "Old Man" Evans and Ikey Marston did not "go much on religion," in virtue of their official positions as sheriff and deputy sheriff they both considered it ought to have a "fair show."

In these circumstances, it may be imagined that "Old Man" and his familiar were much concerned when the Rev. Eliphalet solemnly announced to them that he had very little longer to live. There was something wrong with his heart, and that something might kill him at any moment. What grieved him most, however, was the barren result of his labors.

Rev. Eliphalet announced that he depended upon a final series of sermons to bring his congregation to a sense of their shortcomings. With much difficulty he preached four of the series to empty benches, and then, heartbroken by the spiritual torpor of Four Corners, stated that the Rev. Archibald Graeme would occupy the pulpit on alternate Sundays.

To "Old Man's" intense disgust, the youthful Rev. Archibald speedily filled the church. His florid eloquence and rousing periods made a pleasant change from the feeble efforts of the dying man, and, in the charm of novelty, Four Corners forgot the faithful service of 30 years.

The maidens admired the raven locks and saintly smile of the newcomer, especially when he called them "dear sisters," and said what an inspiration it was to see their fair faces look up to him as he preached. It is needless to state that he was unmarried. Many maidens in Four Corners were conscious of the fact, and did their best to lead Rev. Archibald into the thorny paths of matrimony.

"Old Man" and Ikey alone failed to succumb to the spell of the new preacher, who, when he was not on matrimonial schemes intent, indirectly criticised his dying colleague's methods of preaching as somewhat old-fashioned.

A grim smile pervaded "Old Man's" features. "I'll just go for a ride on the mule"—he took his gun from the corner—"and look up half of these jays. You look arter the other half, Ikey."

"It's very kind of you to help me to get a congregation, although your efforts are not at all necessary. Brother Marston."

The next morning, at a quarter to 11, the inhabitants of Four Corners were surprised to see Ikey standing by the church door and counting their numbers. The congregation, however, would have been still more surprised could it have seen "Old Man" coming from the manse, with Rev. Eliphalet leaning feebly on his arm.

There was an audible stir as "Old Man" led Rev. Eliphalet towards the pew which immediately fronted the pulpit.

Rev. Archibald began the opening prayer so briskly that the congregation soon forgot the bent figure of Rev. Eliphalet, who rose to his feet with difficulty and clung to "Old Man's" arm. When, however, sermon time drew near, people were surprised to see "Old Man" step up on the platform beside Rev. Archibald, notwithstanding the fact that he was absorbed in prayer, and gave his flowing coat tails an irreverently vicious pull. To their still further surprise, Rev. Archibald, blushing pinkly, uttered a whispered remark from "Old Man" hurriedly left the platform and seated himself in a back pew. To the congregation's still further surprise, "Old Man" came down from the platform, tenderly led Rev. Eliphalet toward the pulpit, and, putting a glass of water by his side, handed him his notes.

"Old Man" after casting an anxious glance at the trembling form of Rev. Eliphalet, advanced to the edge of the platform, his eyes filled with withering scorn.

"I desay," he said, ironically, "as you'd rather hear a sermon from me, or that black-headed jay yonder." He pointed a threatening finger towards the shrinking figure of Rev. Archibald.

"For 39 years," "Old Man" said, impressively, "thisyer gray-headed old man"—he pointed to Rev. Eliphalet—"has been tryin' to rope you in for the next world. If he'd known as much about you as I do, he might ha' give it up juss 39 years ago. But he didn't know what a contract he'd got to tackle, and he's gone on tacklin' it ever since, throwin' in me and Ikey as a kind of 'crowdin' cross. And now when he's about to pass in his checks, you won't listen to his parlin' words. I was away 'las' Sunday, or I'd ha' made you come. Now, as you've come back to the fold, I see lambs snatched from the burnin', so I speak, we're goin' to have thisyer sermon over agin. You've got to listen to it. You hear me!"

Once or twice when the dying man faltered, lost the thread of his discourse and looked piteously around, his friend was at his side, ready with the glass of water, or to turn over the pages of the sermon.

"Old Man" also had something to say, and was not slow in saying it.

"Now as we've had thisyer interestin' sermon, and have learned a good deal about Emuch as it wouldn't hurt us to imitate, there's one thing more to be done. The best you can do afore you clears out of thisyer building is to go close to the parson and say—good-by."

What touched the congregation more keenly than "Old Man's" stinging scorn was the fact that Rev. Eliphalet had not uttered one word of reproach. He laid his trembling hands on the heads of the children, blessed them, said a few kindly words to the older members of his flock, and still leaning on "Old Man's" strong arm and looking up into his friend's face with tender gratitude and love, tottered back to the manse to die.

Rev. Archibald accepted a call elsewhere. So did Miss Soames, but not in the same direction.

HIS MEAN REVENGE.

Her hair was neutral in tint, of this or, rather, it was vari-colored.

That is to say, there were strands of dark yellow, a heavy understratum of lustrous brown, and a number of scattered whiffs of bronze red.

All of the hair was naturally wavy, and it was rather attractive and fetching on account of the oddity of the color scheme of it.

Her husband liked it—which, under old-fashioned domestic canons, ought to have been enough—and he called her the "rainbow-headed" and the "prismatic-haired" and the "mazy-quilt hirsuted"—not at all in a mean, coarse, masculine way of fibbing, but in a matter of affection, because he really liked his wife's hair as it was.

But she didn't like it.

Its variety of tints worried her.

She wanted one color hair, and this one color was bronze.

"Joe," she said to her husband a few weeks ago, "I'm going to have my hair touched up."

"Joe" let his pipe fall out of his hands and got ashes all over his new \$2.45 fancy vest.

"Yare, hey?" said he. "You only think you are. Think again. What are you dreaming of, anyhow?"

"Just this," she replied, in a matter-of-fact, it's-all-off tone. "There's a bit of every color known to science in my hair except blue and green and purple. You, yourself, call me 'chameleon-topped.' I'm tired of having all sorts and conditions of hair. Moreover, I've got a fair, lily-white skin and bee-yu-tiful hazel eyes—I'm only quoting you, and you know you used to tell me they were the gorgeousest eyes on the map—and bronzy hair would just suit me. Wherefore, I remark again, in a tone of mingled yearning and settled decision: 'Joseph, I'm going to have my hair touched up.'"

"Well, I'll tell you one thing," he replied, gazing at her steadfastly. "If you do that I'll let me out. It'll be the finish. I'll go to sea. I'll go to New York or take some other equally short route to the damning bow-wows. You hear me a-talking?"

"But, Joe," she said—and she addressed him now from no greater distance than his own knee—"I just want to have my hair touched up; see?"

"You're a pretty fancy wheedler but it don't go, see?" was his retort.

"But," she persisted, "can't I just have it touched up at the sides and around the front and top—just a little, teeny weeny bit—can't I, please, Mister Marston?"

"None, you can't," he replied, with decision. "It's all off. I have spoke. And, say, would you mind letting me read my evening paper in peace for about four consecutive seconds without interrupting me with such foolishness?"

That the matter wasn't settled, of course, anybody reading this will know in advance without looking down this page.

She got a very swaggy blue tailor-made dress about ten days ago, and the idea of bronze hair in combination with the blue dress took possession of her.

"Joe," she said to him on the evening the blue dress was delivered to her, "with reference to my about-to-be-bronzed hair—"

"I have the honor to inform you that there isn't going to be any bronzing," interrupted "Joe," carrying out her business-letter form of conversation. Whereat she ceased.

"I'll just go down and have it done, anyway," said she to herself the next morning. "He'll be so delighted with the way it looks that he'll just fall upon my neck and weep with very joy."

When the job was done, and she saw herself in the glass, she didn't admire herself so much as she had anticipated she would. Nor was she quite so confident that when her husband saw her transformed head he would fall upon her neck, etc., etc.

"Uh-huh," he said, when he came in that evening. "You've done it, I see."

"Like it, Joe?"

Her tone was airy, but it was a bit. He didn't say a word. A gloomy silence brooded over the flat for the remainder of the evening.

When he went to his office the next morning a steely light glittered in his eye.

He tugged at his straw, red, brown and auburn-mixed mustache savagely.

Then he repaired to a hotel barber shop and had his straw, red, brown and auburn-mixed mustache dyed a deep, dull, unfathomable, Stygian black.

When he emerged from the hotel barber shop the hirsute fringe on his upper lip was the blackest thing ever seen on land or sea.

It was so black that it made him look like a photograph taken after his decease.

He endured the gazing of his friends and associates for the remainder of the day, and then he went home and put into the flat with a gruff manner.

His wife met him in the flat hall.

"Well, how do you like it?" he inquired of her. "Great, isn't it, hey?"

Thought I'd have it fixed up as a sort of contrast to you, I know. Now we're both ornamental about the house. You look like an orange-padded tabourette, and I look like a cross-section of an all stove. Oh, but we're a lovely bunch!" and he chuckled gloomily.

Then he caught sight of himself in the mirror over the mantel, and fell into a chair and howled mirthlessly.

After several hours of pleading she induced him to sneak around to a late closing barber shop, where he had the Cimmerian-black mustache snipped off. She cannot, in return, have her queer bronze hair shaved close to her head, but he has her solemn promise, in typewriting that she will let the bronze wear off, never in this life to be renewed.

When that fit-for-far thing is tried in the matrimonial relationship it's the man who generally gets the worst of it.—Washington Star.

THE REAPER AND THE YOUNG MAN.

BY S. RHETT ROMAN.

"No, you are not wanted, you are not called," said the young man to the Reaper. "Others have led of you—a great many. But not I."

"There's that deformed child next door—call on her and take her with you. And that pale, sad, invalid woman—I turn so as not to see her when she passes slowly by. To her you would bring a release from the shackles of suffering, disease and despair. She will welcome you, stern and inexorable Reaper, with thankfulness and joy."

There is also an old man over the way. He is palsied and senile and shrunken. For him the joys, the loves and the ambitions of life are but faint, obscure reminiscences. Occasionally they flare up in his worn-out brain, like the feeble flame of an exhausted lamp.

"Go to him, and go quickly—you will be a blessing and a relief."

"Let him slip into his last sleep peacefully and gently. The armchair he has so long occupied will be relegated to a garret, and his memory will soon be forgotten."

"But pass me by, oh, Reaper, and cast not the sinister shadow of your coming across my path. For I stretch out at last boldly and free, and strewn with fair promises, far into the future years. None shall snatch from me the prizes of life at last within reach and upon which my hand shall close with a sure grasp—not even you, ruthless Reaper."

The breeze swept over the young man, and the sunlight flickering through the leaves of a vine as he sat reclining in a cushioned chair on the porch, played over him, while out in front spread the shaded street of the town, and around towered peaks and undulating mountains.

The Reaper, smiling sadly, drew silently nearer, and the faint shadow of his approach touched the feet of the young man.

The wind blew gently and wafted a scent of spring flowers through the air, and looking out at the bloom and freshness of the spring day and the grandeur of the towering peaks pointing skyward, a faint flush mounted in the pale, thin face.

There was power and strength and intellect in the dark blue eyes, now slightly sunken and hollow, and an undaunted look on the pale features, for all the shadow lay so near.

"Well, they are done and over, you merciless Reaper, those foolish years in which I neglected opportunity and mistook the dross for the gold. But now to-day, and in those which lay so close ahead, there is success and triumph. See here."

The young man grasped a letter that lay beside him on a table, where books and writing materials lay scattered among a few bottles of drugs.

"See here," he said, holding it up before the Reaper, his slim, worn hand shaking in triumph, "it gives me the management of a great factory. It puts me among the important in the great industrial world of to-day. See the words of praise, of appreciation. Do I not hold the future in the hollow of my hand? Can you gainsay it?"

"Ah! how sharp is the joy to give back some of the loving care, some small part of the tender devotion the dear mother lavished so unstintingly on me in those early days when I could not know their priceless value. I glory in the thought of the peace and happiness she will know at last through me. And the cup of joy I covet and anticipate shall not be snatched from my lips."

The Reaper moved slowly forward, and perhaps it was compassion as he gazed at the handsome face before him, at the glow of the dauntless eyes of the youth and the wistful yearning of his look outward toward a future aglow and rich with promises, which made him pause.

"And there is another," mused the youth. "She will be glad—and proud. Ah! the ships that pass by in the night. It was a promise of rare and infinite happiness, had I but known it, and it was close to me. Now, I must make haste. I must lose no more time to retrieve those lost years of dear companionship and deepest happiness."

"When I close my eyes I am again riding by her side under the shadow of the great trees, and I hear her voice, so warm and true."

"I am telling her it was all a mistake! A hideous mistake, my love! But now, see how everything is changed—a glorious radiance glids the coming years, and you and I—together—we will pass down the illumined vista toward happiness."

The Reaper stood between the young man and the sunlight of spring, and his dark and somber shadow fell over his slight form as he lay back reclining in his chair. His eyes closed slowly, his hand still holding the letter, while a faint smile—a smile addressed to the deceptive promises of the future, resting on his face, now unperceptibly assuming the chill, marvelous perfection of Parian marble.

A gentle breeze stirred and lifted a lock of the brown hair from his broad white forehead, and some rose petals, shaken from their stem, fell softly, as if with a caress, upon his breast—but the young man did not stir.

The Reaper sighed. "He was passing fair—and there was genius and nobility within him. And the music of his soul, erstwhile jangled, could have swelled in to grand symphonies. But the Master's decree went forth—and I obeyed."

The Reaper lingered and gazed sorrowfully at the pale, motionless youth, then passed on.

A voice of tender love called from within: "Are you sleeping, son?"

The young man did not answer. On his face, majestic and beautiful, rested a smile addressed to the illusive promises of the future.—N. O. Times-Democrat.

THE HERALD.

MINIATURE ALMANAC,
APRIL 26.

DAY RISES.....4:47 Moon SETS.....10:25 P. M.
SUN SETS.....6:55 FULL MOON.....(01) 15 P. M.
LENGTH OF DAY.....13:58

First Quarter, May 1st, 26. 10 a. m., evening, E.
Full Moon, May 15th, 26. 10 a. m., morning, W.
Last Quarter, May 23d, 26. 10 a. m., morning, E.
New Moon, May 23d, 31. 10 a. m., morning, E.
First Quarter, May 31st, 26. 10 a. m., morning, W.



THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 1906.

THE TEMPERATURE

At two o'clock this afternoon, the thermometer at THE HERALD office registered sixty degrees above zero.

LOCAL DASHES

Be good, April.
"Dust thou art."
April is a dying month.
Tomatoes are in the market.
The last of Paul Jones at last.
Portsmouth has an army of tax dodgers.
The city council was in session last evening.

April showers have been scarce this month.

Trade conditions are on the whole encouraging.

Who will get the combination chemical jobs?

All up for the big benefit at Music Hall next week.

Perhaps Spring will linger in the lap of Summer.

Portsmouth people are still waiting for the city book.

The board of instruction will meet next Tuesday evening.

Pollock and flat fish are coming into the river rapidly.

Have your shoes repaired by John Mott, 34 Congress street.

A concert was given in the Baptist chapel last evening.

The returns made to the board of assessors are interesting.

Three extra trains hauled coal to Manchester on Wednesday.

The name of Appledore wharf will lose its significance this year.

See "Princess Bonnie" at Music Hall this and Friday evenings.

Portsmouth High School has the real thing in a baseball team.

The real estate man who lets Summer cottages is smiling every day.

The Spanish War Veterans certainly made good their first ball.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Lucy Entwistle yesterday afternoon.

Next week's big event will be the benefit for the San Francisco sufferers.

Fannie A. Gardiner Rebekah Lodge will celebrate its anniversary next Friday evening.

Meetings of the city government may be depended on to provide more or less excitement.

This is certainly a year of sensations. Some of the old business blocks are being painted.

A good sized crowd enjoyed the athletic events at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Wednesday evening.

The King's Daughters of the North Church will hold a rummage sale at 18 Market street, up one flight, on Saturday and Monday. The proceeds will go to the chapel fund.

If the street sprinklers are kept in the stable all Summer there will be some wailing and gnashing of teeth.

Annie Russell appears in but six New England cities outside of Boston and Portsmouth is one of the six.

The earthquake has done for San Francisco what the grafters have done for Portsmouth—almost wrecked it.

The biggest, best and busiest ball of the season at Freeman's Hall next Tuesday evening. Pentucket Orchestra.

Annie Russell should receive an enthusiastic welcome from the theatregoers of Portsmouth next Monday evening.

Rochester High School defeated Dover High School in an interscholastic League baseball team six to three at Rochester on Wednesday.

Attend the rummage sale conducted at 18 Market street, up one flight, by the King's Daughters, on Saturday and Monday evenings. The proceeds are to go to the chapel fund.

It will be no surprise if the Portsmouth High School baseball team meets its first defeat of the season at Wolfboro on Saturday.

1000 pairs gold-filled eyeglasses \$1.00. Some charge \$3.00 to \$5.00 for same glasses. Eyes examined free. Henri L. Bates, doctor of optics, eyeglass specialist, dealer of all eye troubles, Hotel Merrick, Portsmouth.

GAVE FIRST BALL

Spanish War Veterans Entertained

ENJOYABLE EVENT AT FREEMAN'S HALL

Decorations Were Both Elaborate and Beautiful

LARGE COMPANY ENJOYED ORGANIZATION'S FIRST PUBLIC PARTY

Winfield Scott Schley Camp, No. 2, Legion of Spanish War Veterans, held its first concert and ball at Freeman's Hall on Wednesday evening and the affair from a social and financial standpoint was a gratifying success.

The young veterans have not long been organized, but they demonstrated the fact on Wednesday evening that they know how to entertain and carried out plans which, to use a hackneyed phrase, made the event one round of pleasure for all who attended. Weather conditions were perfect, the music was of the very best and the floor arrangements novel. In fact, everything was just as it should be for the first public affair given by Camp Schley.

The decorations were the best seen in a dance hall in this city for years. Flags of all nations were most effectively displayed from the sides and front of the gallery, while streamers and flags were draped around the iron rods in the gallery and the interior of the hall.

The stage gave evidence of a master hand in decorative art. The whole background was American flags and on the front was a hand-somely arranged pedestal bearing the picture of Admiral Winfield Scott Schley for whom the camp is named. On the right of the picture stood the American flag given to the camp by Admiral Schley himself and on the left was Union Jack. In the center of the stage, over the picture, hung the letters "L. S. W. V." which were artistically made up and caught the eye of the visitor as soon as he entered the hall.

At eight o'clock Hoyt and Parker's orchestra rendered a selected concert program of pleasing numbers.

During the concert, the reception committee was busy welcoming guests, who filed into the hall in large numbers before the concert ended.

At nine o'clock the order was given for the grand march. Commander Willis H. Alvin and Mrs. Alvin, followed by Lieut. Fred T. Harriman of Company B and Miss Florence Stevens, led the long line of marchers through the graceful movements for nearly twenty minutes. The circle followed and the regular order of sixteen numbers was commenced.

The dance program follows:

Grand March
Waltz
Quadrille
Two Step
Lancers
Schottische
Portland Fancy
Caprice
Quadrille
Intermission twenty minutes
Waltz Two Step
Virginia Reel
Schottische
Quadrille
Two Step
Portland Fancy
Waltz
Quadrille
Two Step

The members of committees are named below:
Reception—Mayor William E. Marvin, Councilor Fred S. Towle, Col. John H. Bartlett, Commander M. E. Long G. A. R., Col. Joseph R. Curtis, U. V. U., Edgar O. Crossman, City Marshal Thomas Entwistle, Lieut. J. H. Washburn, Senior Vice Commander T. B. Ruxton, Sherman T. Newton, Capt. C. B. Hoyt, Commander W. H. Alvin, Junior Vice Commander Robert Gray.

Marshal—Commander W. H. Alvin.

Assistants—Senior Vice Commander Thomas B. Ruxton, Junior Vice Commander Robert Gray.

Floor Director—William S. Falconer.

Assistant—Harry Foster.

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Harping

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George O. Lane, Henry Sosville, Winslow E. Mills, Fred Glen.

The camp had as special guests members of the Grand Army, Union Veterans' Union, Sons of Veterans, Company B and out of town members of militia companies, all of whom helped to make the initial concert and ball of the young veterans a most successful event.

The dance orders were very handsome, with national emblems embossed on the cover and scenes of military life attractively pictured.

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Called Upon To Consider Several Bills Against The City

Several bills against the city, which could not be certified under existing laws, were on Thursday evening referred to the committee on claims.

One is that of William Phinney, dated in 1903, for moving the bathhouse and storing and caring for it during two winters. It amounts to \$80.

A second is that of Fred L. Martin for \$15 for striking the half-past twelve signal on the North Church clock for a year. The bill comes over from 1904.

The third bill was presented by James Harvey for work on the roads in 1904 and 1905. The amount is \$348.

Another bill, held over from the first of 1905, is from Dr. George E. Pender. It is for \$62.

The fifth and last is the bill of Charles E. Leach for meals served in Ward Four on Election day. The amount is \$35. In Wards One, Three and Five, \$35 was charged and in Ward Two \$18.

LICENSES REFUSED

Such The Report Regarding Several Local Saloons

One liquor license on Penhallow street has been refused by the state commissioners. The saloon affected is located on the ground floor of a building the upper stories of which are occupied as a family residence.

It is understood that licenses for two places on Maplewood avenue have been refused.

Just how many saloons will be affected by the stricter rules said to have been adopted by the license commissioners can only be conjectured, but the number will hardly be very large.

All licenses expire next Monday and those who do not receive their certificates by the following day will be obliged to close their places pending the arrival of the all-important documents.

NEARLY \$1400

Collected At Navy Yard For The Relief Fund

Those who have handled the subscription papers at the navy yard for the relief fund for the San Francisco sufferers have done remarkable work and the liberality of every person who has added his name to the list speaks well for the Portsmouth navy yard.

Up to two o'clock this (Thursday) afternoon nearly \$1400 had been turned over to Pay Inspector J. A. Mudd and such success in making collections is very gratifying to that official.

This amount includes \$571.50 from the receiving ship Southern.

The collections will close tomorrow (Friday) night and the amount will be forwarded to the treasurer of the Red Cross Society at Washington.

WOMAN SENT UP

But Men Treated With Leniency In Police Court

The lady directresses of the charade party at 2 Water street on Wednesday and their escorts were brought together once again this (Thursday) morning. They listened to the words of the judge of the tribunal from which were dealt out the decrees of fate in the cases of the two fair maids and their friends, all due to this gay society life.

The women, Elizabeth Macomber and Beatrice Jenness, pleaded guilty to drunkenness while their companions acknowledged the same offense.

The ladies will sojourn for the remainder of the Spring, the full Summer and part of the third season, Autumn, at Brentwood. They will return to take up the social whirl when the golden rod is waving and the harvest moon is shining on the river. They must also work out costs of \$6.90, imposed with the compulsory trip handed out by the court.

The male members of the party, Fred Beasley and George Matthews, got a chance to cut it out and will not accompany the prima donnas of the troupe on their extended trip. They listened to the advice of the court and were told what will happen if they again appear in the same roles.

They agreed to follow the simple life and after receiving suspended sentences of four months, with costs of \$6.30 each, they departed with joy overflowing their hearts and immediately took up the duties that employ those who keep on the water wagon.

PERSONALS

Col. William H. Carter of Salem, Mass., visited Portsmouth on Wednesday.

Miss Lucretia Dunning of Lawrence Mass., is visiting friends in this city.

Richard Ryan has returned to his duties after an absence of ten weeks, due to an injury.

Jeremiah Reagan has taken the place of driver on the delivery wagon of Thomas Loughlin.

Mrs. W. W. Barry, wife of Pay Inspector Barry, U. S. N., has somewhat improved, but is still critically ill.

Mr. Calvin Boyd, who recently suffered an operation for appendicitis at the Cottage Hospital, is now able to walk out.

Miss Gertrude Lyons of Dartmouth street, Boston, is passing a few days in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Craig of State street.

Mrs. Willis L. Smith of Rogers street, who underwent an operation at the Cottage Hospital on Monday, is reported to be slowly improving.

Rear Admiral Walker, U. S. N., and Mrs. Walker were among the guests at a dinner given in Washington last week by Lieutenant Commander Lloyd H. Chandler and wife.

David Pinard, for two years engineer at Henderson's Point and later with the Publishers' Paper Company, will shortly leave for Jamestown, O., where he has accepted a position with the Morris Iron Works Company.

FUNERAL OF MRS. KIMBALL

Funeral services over the body of Mrs. Addie S. Kimball, who was burned to death on Tuesday, were held this (Thursday) afternoon from her late home on Burkill street. Rev. C. O. Farnham was the clergyman. Burial was in Harmony Grove cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker O. W. Ham.

MIXED IT UP

There was a lively scrap at The Creek Wednesday night, in which two well known young men mixed it in great style for five or ten minutes.

ASKS RETENTION

Of Chaplain Dickens On The Kearsarge

CAPT. WINSLOW WRITES AN URGENT LETTER

Requesting That No New Man Be Sent To Ship

SAYS THAT DETACHMENT WOULD BE MOST REGRETTABLE

The detachment from the battleship Kearsarge of Chaplain Curtis Hoyt Dickens, U. S. N., formerly chaplain at Portsmouth navy yard and for years a pastor in this city, is deeply regretted by the officers and men of the Kearsarge. The fact is attested by the following letter to the President from Capt. Winslow:

U. S. S. Kearsarge,
Guantanamo, Cuba,
April 20, 1906.

Sir: It is with great regret that I have read in the papers of the detachment of Chaplain Dickens from this ship.

He only came here in December and has done excellent work.

During the sad trial we have just been through he has been indefatigable in his attentions and untiring in his devotion to the wounded, writing and sending messages to their friends.

His whole conduct has been such that I feel he must have won the affections of the men and established himself in a position that I feel it will be a great loss to the ship's company to part with him now. It will be a great benefit to the ship could he remain, for I feel from what they have all seen of him that he could go on with the good work which he has done better than any new man, who, it would take a long time, if ever, to reach the point arrived at by Chaplain Dickens.

It could hardly be reached by any man who had not been with the men in such a trial.

For the good of the crew I therefore request that Chaplain Dickens be retained on board this ship if this is possible.

Very respectfully,
(Signed)

HERBERT WINSLOW,
Captain United States Navy,
Commanding.
The Commander in Chief.

YOUNG MAN SAFE

Message Received From N. Marshall Putnam Of York

N. Marshall Putnam of York, who was in San Francisco when that city was shaken down by the recent earthquake, is safe and well.

His parents have received a telegram from him conveying this information dated Clements, Cal., April 22. It announces that he is now living at Presidio. The young man is the eighteen year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Perle Putnam of York Harbor and has been in California all winter. Reference to him was made in these columns on Wednesday.

The parents of young Putnam suffered an agony of suspense before word was received from him and his mother was nearly prostrated.

Seats go on sale for Annie Russell in "Friend Hannah" at the Music Hall Box Office, Friday morning.

OBITUARY

Miss Emily M. Locke

The death occurred on Thursday of Miss Emily M. Locke, daughter of Jethro and Martha Locke. A brother, Cornelius Locke, and one sister, Mrs. Fidelia Hurd, survive.

NO NEWS RECEIVED

No news has yet been received from Mr. and Mrs. John B. Beasley of this city, who were caught in San Francisco by the earthquake.

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